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PATENT APPLICATION
Docket No. 13768.344

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Art Shelest, et al.

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For:

REDUCING NETWORK CONFIGURATION COMPLEXITY WITH TRANSPARENT VIRTUAL PRIVATE NETWORKS

Examiner:

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TRANSMITTAL FOR REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Via eFile - RCE
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 for the above-identified application.

A. Instructions and Avertments

____ Enter the Amendment under 37 CFR § 1.116, previously filed.

— This application is entitled to Small Entity Status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27.

B. Enclosed

- X An Amendment "B" and Response for entry in the present application.
- ___ A Certificate of Facsimile.
- ___ A Request for Nonpublication of Application.
- ___ An Associate Power of Attorney.
- ___ To render this RCE timely filed, enclosed is a Petition for 0-Month Extension of Time.
- ___ Petition for a one (0)-Month Extension of Time.

C. Payments

- X Form PTO-2038 submitting payment in the amount of \$790.00 is enclosed to cover the following fees:
- X the \$790.00 RCE filing fee pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.17(e);
and
- ___ the \$0 petition fee for the 0-month extension of time.
- X No other additional fee is required.

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TOTAL 36	MINUS	= 0	X		X	
INDEPENDENT 4	MINUS	= 0	X		X	
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			TOTAL		TOTAL	0

- ☐ PTO 2038 Credit Card form in the amount of \$0 is enclosed to cover the additional claim fee.
- ☐ Please debit Deposit Account No. 23-3178 in the amount of \$0 for the government filing fee.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.
 - ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16.
 - ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17.
- ☐ The issue fee set forth in 37 CFR § 1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.311(b).
- ☐ A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Please address all future correspondence in connection with the above-identified patent application to the attention of the undersigned.

Dated this 11th day of July, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

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